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The Continued Calls

upon THE LEDGER for free notices have become so burdensome that we are forced o publish the following

For Notices of Suppers,

excursions, fairs, or other public enter-tainments where a fee is charged, and for obituary notices, resolutions of re-spect, &c., THE LEDGER will charge rive CENTS A LINE, and hereafter this will be the invariable rule. This, how-

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notices of Lodge meetings or Church services, which must not exceed ten

Avaidance of Disputes.

Misunderstandings are unpleasant. The rate for Business Locals in The LEDGER is 10 cents a line for the first insertion and 5 cents a line for the first insertions. A customer orders a five-line local inserted in the paper. "I'll tell you when to take it out," he says to the bookkeeper. But he forgets all about it. The notice runs for two months—52 times;—the bill is \$13.25. When he finds it out there is a "kick" and a controversy, followed probably by an loy feeling. Now, to obviate this trouble, no "till forbid" notices will be accepted hereafter. Let's have a definite agreement at the outhave a definite agreement at the out-set and the termination will be pleas-ant all around.

**All matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock in the morning of each day.



If you have friends visiting you, or it you are going away on a visit, please drop us a

Mr. W. H. Lynch is in Brookville today.

Mr. W. C. Payne was in the city yesterday.

Messrs, J. H. and J. C. Rains are in Cincinnati today.

Mrs. John M. Hunthas returned from a visit at Ironton.

Mr. E. Robert Blaine returned to Cincinnati

Mr. James E. Threlkeld is spending a few days at Swango Springs.

Miss Abbie Pickett is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Rosa Scott, at Paterson, N. J.

Mrs. Bettle Smoot of Louisville is the guest of the family of Mr. W. P. Smoot.

his family back here to a few days. Mr. George Wiley Chambers of Newport

Mr. J. L. Todd is in the city, and will move

spent Sunday with his parents at Clifton.

his home at Frankfort after a brief visit in this city will assist in the ceremonials.

friends at Washington this week from Kansas

Miss Jennie Rudy has returned to her home on Ferest avenue after a two weeks visit to

Covington and Bellevue. Judge Thomas Phister's wife was the pleasant guest of the Misses Owens near Washing-

ton Saturday and Sunday. whop home she has visited several times.

Mis Mary Chambers of Clifton and Miss frieds in the neighborhood of Rectorville.

n Saturday, July. 11th, we will offer the following Shoes half-price. See window display. 200 Pairs Men's Low Cuts at

All of our Tan Button and Polish, in Women's, Misses' and Children's, at half Men's Tan Shoes at prices that will catch. Special bargains in all of our

men's, Misses and Children's Low Cuts. Come and see.

Mrs. Louie January and daughter, Miss Mary Houston, left this morning for a visit to relatives at Flemingsburg.

Miss Sallie Short Wood of Forest avenue has returned home from an extended visit among friends in Cincinnati and Falmouth.

Mrs. Chambers and Masters Charles and Edspending the week with their parents at Clif- \$575 62.

Mr. William Slitts, the handsome and popuiar clerk formerly with Martin Bros., left yesterday for Portsmouth to take charge of his brother's grocery.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

WEATHER SIGNALS.

White streamer-FAIR: Blus-BAIN OF SNOW: WITH Block ABOVE-'twill WARMER grow. If Black's SENEATH-COLDER't will

> Unless Black's shown-up change we'll see

The acove forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 5 o'clock to-morrow evening.

For Paris Green that will kill and not fatten insects go to Chenoweth's.

Mrs. Liccie Pogue fell at her home at Mayslick Saturday and received serious injuries.

If you want the latest and the freshest news, see J. N. Lynch and get The Cincinnati Post. The H. E. Pogue Distillery Company

has increased its capital stock from \$40,-000 to \$60,000. Big sale of remnants of Satteens, Dimi-

ties, Percales and Lawns at 5 cents per following note pinned to the coat: yard at Browning's. For Pure Drues call on Henry W. Ray,

successor to Theo. C. Power, next door to Postoffice. Prescriptions a specialty. Mr. Carroll Power has moved from Flemingsburg to Lexington and formed

a law partnership with Mr. J. Henning Nelms. At the recent commencement of St. Mary's College, St. Mary's, Kas, the De-

gree of A.M. was conferred upon Dr. John O'Brien of this city. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cures The Newly-Elected Officers of Pisgah

colds, croup and whooping cough. It is leasant, safe and reliable J. James Wood, Druggist.

The Clark County Fair will be held at Winchester July 29th to August 1st. THE LEDGER is indebted to W. H. Garner, Secretary, for a complimentary invi-

Esculapia Springs was opened for the stalled: accommodation of guests July 1st, 1896. 'Bus runs from Vanceburg to Springs Monday, Wednesday and Saturday. Fare

The life interest of P. S. Guerin in 187 acres of land belonging to the estate of John Malone was sold yesterday at the Courthouse door by Sheriff Jefferson for \$425. Thomas Malone was the pur-

Byron Rudy, G. P. of Kentucky, has been commissioned by Grand Master C. P. Meredith to institute a Rebekah De-Miss Nancy Clarke has returned home after gree Ludge of Oddfellows at Helena. a pleasant visit at Plumville and Glen Springs. The date of institution has not been fixed, but it will take place in the near future. Hon. William P. Coons left this morning for Several members from the Lodge in this

Mr. D. Rice Bulleck, fermerly of this Mr. Alex Marchall Casey was visiting city but now of Spokane Falls, Washington, has been for some time on business in Alaska. Under date of June 21st he Mrs. E. Robert Blaine of Cincinnati is visit- writes to his brother, Mr. Thad P. Buling her mother, Mrs. Mary Owens of Front lock of Bernard, a most interesting letter descriptive of that most wonderful coun-Miss Annie Belle Rankins of Augusta bas try. Just think of it! Alaska extends been visiting the Misses Allison near Wash- far enough West to make San Francisco the central city of the United States, measuring from East to West.

Mr. J. H. Belinger, formerly of this county, is new wholesale agent for the Coal Sales Department of the Choctaw. Oklahoma and Gulf Railroad, with headquarters at Oklahoma City. Mrs. Belinger has charge of the office and Mr. Bo-Mie Jennie Wood went to Cynthiana Satur- linger canvasses the whole of Oklahoma day o attend the funeral of Mr. Paras, at Territory for the sale of coal. The many friends here of Mr. Bolinger will be glad to hear of his advancement, for it is a Lue Hill are spending a few days with better position than his former one of Grain Buyer for the Indian Territory.

Shoes at Half-Price

SILVER TAKEN AT PAR!

" Boys' Patent Leather Low Cuts 50"

BALL, H. C. BARKLEY & CO. changes.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Martin arrived home Henry Knoveshow has been appointed last night from a visit to relatives at Lexing- Road Overseer in place of Daniel White

> Mrs Hawkins, sister of Mr. B. F. Clift of this city, is seriously ill at her home near Mayslick.

The report of the Sardis Turnpike Company shows receipts for the past year to have been \$854 74 and expenses \$1,000 90. The balance on hand from ward of Newport have returned home after last year was \$730 78, and it is now

> Mrs. Anna Ranson Clay died at Bluelick Springs at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, aged about 80 years. Her maiden name was Ranson, a sister of Mr. R. H. Ranson, father of Mr. F. B. Ranson of this city. Her first husband was named Bedinger and her second was a Clay. She was the chief owner of the Bluelick Springs property.

Building Association Receipts. The receipts of the several Building

Associations of this city Saturday night were as follows: Mason County..... \$ 486 65

SUICIDE BY DROWNING.

Joel T. Kirk, a Fleming County Man. Ends His Troubles.

Total \$1,312 40

Joel T. Kirk came to the city yesterday

from Fleming county. He was about town during the day and there was nothing especially s'range in

Early this morning, however, his coat, vest, hat and boots were found lying on the lower end of the wharfboat, with the

"Joel T. Kirk is going to is cripel for two games there with that club. life i am going to drowd myself so

good by to all." Mr. Kirk is said to have been a member of Company A. Sixteenth Kentucky. At one time he had considerable prop-

The Coroner is in possession of his effects and is investigating the case.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.

erty but lost it all.

Encampment, I. O. O. F.



At last night's meeting the following officers of Pisgah Encampment were in-

C. P .- O. E. Collins.

H. P -William T. Berry. S. W .- James Barbour, Jr. J. W .- John W. Clinger. Scribe-Byron Rudy. Treasurer-James Smith.

O. S.-C. J. Collins. I. S .- Harry C. Curran. Guide-William H. Cox.

W. C. Pelham.

First Watch, Jacob Miller; Second James Childs: Third, Alton Schatzmann; Fourth, William Sproemberg. First G. of T .- J. C. Rains; Second.

COMMITTEE REORGANIZED.

Some of the Republicans Who Will Manage the Campaign.

Pursuant to the call of Mr. Clarence Mathews the Chairman, the Republican his rags and scoot from Maysville. County Committee met yesterday afternoon at the Central Hotel for the purpose of reorganization.

Mr. Samuel T. Hickman was the Secre-

There were several vacancies caused by death and removals, and with these filled the Committee is now composed as fol-

First Ward-William H. Cox. Second Ward-N. Cooper. Third Ward-C. C. Hopper. Fourth Ward-J. J. Brosee. Fifth Ward-W. E. Stallcup. Sixth Ward-O. P. Cox. Plugtown-Jacob Wormald. Dover-M. Dunham. Minerva-J. W. Gregston. Fern Leaf-W. Early Worick. Germantown-Milton McLain. Murphysville-W. L. Gault. Sardis-George W. Dye. West Mayslick-R. S. Weaver. East Mayslick-B. F. Clift. Howe's Tollgate-Thomas Forman. Washington-W. W. Gault. Helens-William D. Ray. Lewisburg-C. N. Bolinger. Dieterich's-George N. Harding. Plumville-C. C. Degman. Osangeburg-D. G. Wilson.

The Committee will meet again at the call of the Chairman in about two weeks, when there may be one or two other this, that or the other circumstance. But

ONE CENT.

OH, MY-OH, ME!

Boys, What Have You Gone Up Against, Anyway.



woe" for our boys:

Special to Public Ledger. PARIS, KY., July 13th. Fodder Team 14 Maysville..... 3

good, thank ye!

Lever did exactly right,

Yesterday morning the Maysville Base-

At 3 p. m., when the time came to play ball, Lever took his position and began

The Umpire, in the meantime, had put that Curle had left the team yesterday up quite a snug sum of his spare greenbacks on the result, -in favor of Paris,

At the beginning of the fifth inning Lever began to split the plate, and the first four balls he threw up were strikes, but the Umpire called them balls and transacted. gave the batter his base. This disgusted Sam, and he threw down the ball and asked Shorty Lautenbach to come up and pitch the game, which Lautie did, he 2 White Kid lofting up drops, and the Hobes didn't catch on then that the boys were making

They made seven runs in that inning, and then Wadsworth was put in.

The first half of the inning he pitched they never scored, and Sammy told him to float them over and make as big monkeys out of them as possible, which Henry did, and the score at the end of

There's no use in letting a snide affair like that shortskate at Paris rub it in on them, when they can come down here and live and be treated like Kings.

Lucas, who was with Maysville the fore part of the season, is responsible for the whole affair, as he swore he would have revenge when he was made to take up

right to show those farmers that they den't know hew to play ball at all, but in front of the city, returning at 8:30.

EARLDOMS.

own medicine at Knoxville.

the man stuck the flag up at Paris—the Irrecoverable! a a a a The boys play at Lexington tomorrow.

have at Darktown.

Don't criticise a player too hard, as

Silverites rich looking they can't see why our sliver isn't just as good as gold. It is better for table uses—better for knives and forks and spoons—better than gold for all these things. There isn't any such array



The following tells its own "tale or

W. H. DAVIS. How's that?

That's very good, we might say devilish

And we commend him for his good

ball Club left this city for Paris, to play

to slaughter the Paris Hobos. For four innings they could not touch his delivery

of course.

fools out of them.

the game was Paris, 14; Maysville, 3. The boys should have immediately left

the field and come home last night.

We hope today's game will be played are well acquainted with the bluff.

Tanner joined the boys yesterday. The Paris fakes will get a dose of their

The Manhattans of Cincinnati play the Portsmouth team tomorrow. The boys should have remembered that

Maybe they'll receive a little better treatment at the Bluegrass Capital than they

The Maysville Club gets the most and summer at the seashore. miserable treatment of any club that leaves home, yet in turn it deals out to visiting clubs the best that can be had. Wiley Davis took up a game at Milwankee on Saturday that apparently had Men's \$5 Hand-sewed Russia Calf been lost and by his fine pitching and timely batting led the Hoosiers to vic-

sometimes he doesn't deserve it. Read this and then keep cool: "It's awful HIGH easy to sit a hundred feet from the game or so, and explain what this, that or the other player should have done under when you're en the diamond it's differ- No. 35 WEST SECOND STREET.

Sliver Pitchers, Sliver Cream Jugs, Sliver Sugar Bowls, Sliver Knives, Sliver Forks, Sliver Spoons, Sliver Hotter Dishes, Sliver Pickle Jars, Sliver Bonhon Dishes, Sliver Tea Services, Sliver Tollette Accessories, Sliver this and Sliver that. There's nothing in silver that is not here, and we want you to see our silver display-Prices—They will speak for themselves. J. BALLENGER, Jeweler, Maysville, Ky.

of silverware in town as we have here all in the latest shapes and fancies.

ent. You see a ball coming toward you, haps it may take a false bound the me- cent Waists at 38 cents. ment before it reaches you. Anyway, it keeps you thinking hard all the time. And while you are thinking you must act. A player frequently sees his mistake in fielding a ball the moment it leaves his hand, but he cannot pull it back. The only thing to do is to play ball every minute, and not let a misplay disturb you. Forget it as soon as you can; if you keep regretting it you're twice as likely to make another through

sheer lack of confidence."

The Ohio Valley League is a go; but we'd like to know what's the matter with Maysville being given the marble heart. The team here isn't afraid to join the National League, and we know there's nothing up the river that can give us an argument. Here's the latest in regards to the new move: "The report that Huntington, Parkersburg, Marietta, Ironton, Portsmouth, Sistersville and Zanesville are about to form the 'Ohio Valley League' is true in part. The stockholders of the Parkersburg Club, it is claimed, will not allew their club to become associated with any league of which Marietta is a member, on account of the treatment of clubs visiting that city for the past two seasons. With Marietta barred, the Parkersburg management will eagerly enter into the proposed league." Will some one please inform us how

the reports get out concerning the players of the club? The bald-headed rumor morning is as untrue as the one to the liant woman. Her father was a cotton effect that the club was going to disband planter in Louisiana, the old house on after the Knoxville series. A. O. U. W.

R. H. WALLACE, R.

J. HENRY PECOR.

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The first big bet of the campaign was made Friday A Fayette county Republican horseman bet a Clark county farmer \$500 that Kentucky would give McKinley 5,000 majority in November.

We have on hand about 20 pieces of fine Matting. They must be sold-35cent grade at 25 cents; 18 cent grade DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarra at 124 cents; 50-cent ingrain Carpets at 374 BROWNING & CO. Bear in mind the neat steamer Laurance

makes one of her delightful excursions this evening, leaving her float at 7 e'clock, making a run of ten miles up and down Good music, good people and a nice, enjoyable ride for 10 cents.

Dont fail to attend our special sale of and you've only time to go after it. Per- Shirt Waists; \$1 Waists at 50 cents; 75-

BROWNING & CO.

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FAMOUS FOR HER BEAUTY.

Death in Louisville of a Most Wonderful Kentucky Woman.

Mrs. Sallie Ward Lawrence Bunt Armstrong Downs, wife of Major George F. Downs, and one of the most prominent women in the state of Kentucky, died at the Galt House, Leuisville, Tuesday after an illness of prebably three months.

Mrs. Downs was in her 65th year. She leaves but one child-John M. Hunt, who is night editor of The New York World. She was a daughter of Robert J. Ward, and a brother of Matt F. Ward, who killed Professor Butler in Louisville in 1855, and whose trial was one of the most famous on record.

Mrs. Downs was known to everyone in Kentucky as its most beautiful weman. She was presented at the Court of St. James and everywhere attracted attention as a most dazzling beauty and brilthe Northeast corner of Second and Walnut streets, Louisville, now being used as Regular meeting tonight at Hall on a boarding-house, being the homestead. Sutton at 7:30. A full attendance is de- The family was extremely wealthy, and sired as business of importance will be the daughter's beauty was given a setting such as it deserved and as wealth only

> She was married to Bigelow Lawrence of Boston while very young. The marriage was not a happy one and a divorce court freed the pair. Miss Ward was afterward married to Dr. Hunt of Louisville, who died a short time after the

> strong, also of Louisville, who also died. She then married Major George Downs. well known and wealthy retired merchant, who survives her. Her reputation as a beauty made her a

well known figure at home, and her so-

ciety was sought everywhere she went.

Her third husband was Vene Arm-

STATE OF OBIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the enior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED that cannot be cured by the use of Hall FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in a presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 188 A. W. GLEASON. Notary Public

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Men's 84 Hand-sewed Russia Calf Men's \$3 Tan Russia Calf Bals for.,\$2 00 Bals, all shades, for\$4 50 Men's \$2 Tan Russia Calf Bals

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